

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

DEQUAWN MCKENZIE,

Plaintiff,

-against-

THE STATE OF NEW YORK; THE  
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION,

Defendant.

21-CV-4161 (LTS)

ORDER OF DISMISSAL

LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN, United States District Judge:

By order dated May 18, 2021, the Court directed Plaintiff to file an amended complaint within sixty days. That order specified that failure to comply would result in dismissal of the complaint for failure to state a claim on which relief may be granted. Plaintiff has not filed an amended complaint. Accordingly, the complaint, filed *in forma pauperis* (IFP) under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(1), is dismissed for failure to state a claim under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(e)(2)(B)(ii).

The Clerk of Court is directed to mail a copy of this order to Plaintiff and note service on the docket. The Court certifies under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(3) that any appeal from this order would not be taken in good faith, and therefore IFP status is denied for the purpose of an appeal. *Cf. Coppedge v. United States*, 369 U.S. 438, 444-45 (1962) (holding that an appellant demonstrates good faith when he seeks review of a nonfrivolous issue).

SO ORDERED.

Dated: August 6, 2021  
New York, New York

/s/ Laura Taylor Swain

LAURA TAYLOR SWAIN  
Chief United States District Judge